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PREVALENCE OF DISEASE.

No health department, State or local, can effectively prevent or control disease without knowledge of when, where, and under what conditions cases are occurring.

IN CERTAIN STATES AND CITIES.

SMALLPOX.

Miscellaneous State Reports.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Colorado (July 1-31):			Texas (July 1-31)—Contd.		
Counties—			Counties—Continued.		
Boulder.....	1		Travis.....	1	
Denver.....	12		Wichita.....	1	
El Paso.....	4		Total.....	88	3
Las Animas.....	4				
Morgan.....	1				
Otero.....	2				
Weld.....	1				
Total.....	25				
Texas (July 1-31): ¹			Virginia (July 1-31):		
Counties—			Counties—		
Archer.....	2	2	Henry.....	1	
Brown.....	2		Henrico.....	1	
Collin.....	1		Lunenburg.....	2	
Coleman.....	5		Middlesex.....	3	
Crosby.....	20		Montgomery.....	17	
Dallas.....	18		Franklin.....	2	
Eastland.....	3		Isle of Wight.....	1	
Hidalgo.....	1		Nansemond.....	1	
Hunt.....	1		Northampton.....	19	
Jim Wells.....	7		Norfolk.....	8	
Jones.....	1		Patrick.....	3	
McLennan.....	6	1	Prince George.....	1	
Navarro.....	2		Pulaski.....	3	
Nueces.....	9		Roanoke.....	1	
Tarrant.....	8		Smyth.....	3	
			Tazewell.....	7	
			Warwick.....	1	
			Washington.....	2	
			Wythe.....	4	
			Total.....	80	

¹ Apr. 1-30, 3 deaths, including previous report.

City Reports for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Biddeford, Me.	2		Milwaukee, Wis.....	3	
Cleveland, Ohio.....	1		New Orleans, La.....	1	
Columbus, Ohio.....	2		Niagara Falls, N. Y.....	1	
Evansville, Ind.....	3		Oklahoma, Okla.....	8	
Knoxville, Tenn.....	1		Sacramento, Cal.....	1	
Manchester, N. H.....	1		Steelton, Pa.....	1	
Marinette, Wis.....	2				

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TYPHOID FEVER.**Missouri—St. Louis.**

Surg. Carrington, of the Public Health Service, reported that during the month of August, 1913, 172 cases of typhoid fever had been notified in St. Louis, Mo., and that during the first five days of September 72 cases had been notified, making a total of 244 cases reported since August 1, 1913.

Texas Report for July, 1913.

Places.	Number of new cases reported during month.	Places.	Number of new cases reported during month.*
Texas:		Texas—Continued.	
Bandera County— Bandera.....	6	Lubbock County— Slaton.....	1
Bastrop County— Bastrop.....	3	McLennan County.....	2
Brown County— Brownwood.....	7	Midland County.....	2
Childress County— Childress.....	2	Navarro County— Corsicana.....	2
Coke County— Bronte.....	2	Palo Pinto County.....	2
Coleman County— Coleman.....	6	Parker County.....	7
Dallas County— Dallas.....	18	Rockwall County— Rockwall.....	3
Denton County.....	5	Runnels County— Ballinger.....	1
Eastland County.....	3	Stephens County.....	3
Garza County.....	1	Tarrant County— Fort Worth.....	4
Hale County— Plainview.....	1	Travis County— Austin.....	4
Harris County.....	2	Van Zandt County.....	2
Henderson County— Athens.....	3	Waller County.....	2
Johnson County— Cleburne.....	8	Wichita County.....	10
Lavaca County— Shiner.....	4	Williamson County— Taylor.....	3
		Total.....	119

CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.**Texas Report for July, 1913.**

The State Board of Health of Texas reported that during the month of July, 1913, 1 case of cerebrospinal meningitis had been notified in Coleman County, and 1 case at Ballinger, Runnels County, Tex.

Cases and Deaths Reported by Cities for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Buffalo, N. Y.....	1	1	Nashville, Tenn.....		1
Chicago, Ill.....	1		Newark, N. J.....		1
Cleveland, Ohio.....	1		Newburyport, Mass.....	1	1
Dunkirk, N. Y.....	1		New Orleans, La.....	1	
Everett, Mass.....	1	1	Pittsfield, Mass.....		1
Kansas City, Kans.....	1	1	Richmond, Va.....		1
La Fayette, Ind.....	1	1	St. Louis, Mo.....	2	1
Los Angeles, Cal.....	1				

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POLIOMYELITIS (INFANTILE PARALYSIS).**State Reports for July, 1913.**

Places.	Number of new cases reported during month.	Places.	Number of new cases reported during month.
Texas:		Virginia—Continued.	
Dallas County.....	1	Charlotte County.....	2
Fannin County—		Craig County.....	1
Bonham.....	1	Dickerson County.....	1
Grayson County.....	3	Fairfax County.....	1
Harris County—		Frederick County.....	1
Houston.....	1	Gloucester County.....	1
Hunt County.....	1	Henry County.....	1
Jackson County—		Loudoun County.....	1
Edna.....	1	Montgomery County.....	3
McLennan County.....	2	Norfolk County.....	2
Matagorda County—		Northampton County.....	1
Bay City.....	8	Orange County.....	2
Morris County.....	1	Roanoke County.....	1
Total.....	19	Russell County.....	1
Virginia:		Scott County.....	1
Alleghany County.....	1	Surry County.....	1
Bland County.....	1	Warwick County.....	1
Buchanan County.....	1	York County.....	1
Campbell County.....	1	Total.....	27

Cases and Deaths Reported by Cities for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Boston, Mass.....	3	1	Newark, N. J.....	2	
Buffalo, N. Y.....	3	1	Providence, R. I.....	14	
Columbus, Ohio.....	1		Saratoga Springs, N. Y.....	1	
Cumberland, Md.....	1		Springfield, Mass.....	1	
Danville, Ill.....	1		Taunton, Mass.....	1	1
Haverhill, Mass.....	3				

ERYSIPelas.**Cases and Deaths Reported by Cities for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913.**

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Baltimore, Md.....		1	Newark, N. J.....		2
Bridgeport, Conn.....	1		New Castle, Pa.....	1	
Chicago, Ill.....	2	1	North Adams, Mass.....		1
Cleveland, Ohio.....	4	3	Sacramento, Cal.....	1	
Los Angeles, Cal.....	2		St. Louis, Mo.....	1	

PELLAGRA.

During the week ended August 23, 1913, pellagra was reported by cities as follows: New Orleans, La., 1 death; Providence, R. I., 14 cases; San Francisco, Cal., 1 death.

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PELLAGRA—Continued.**Missouri—St. Louis.**

Surg. Carrington, of the Public Health Service, reported that 2 cases of pellagra had recently been notified in the St. Louis City Sanitarium (insane hospital), and that 5 fatal cases had been previously notified, making a total of 7 cases reported since January 1, 1913.

Washington—Medical Lake.

The State Board of Health of Washington reported that 2 cases of pellagra had been notified at the Eastern Washington Hospital for the Insane, Medical Lake, Spokane County, Wash., 1 case having been admitted to ward May 27, and the other June 15, 1913.

PLAQUE.**Rats Collected and Examined.**

Places.	Week ended.	Found dead.	Total collected.	Examined.	Found infected.
California: ¹ Cities— Oakland.....	Aug. 23, 1913	39	674	508	None.
Berkeley.....	do.....	6	126	83	Do.
San Francisco.....	do.....	17	1,773	1,288	Do.

¹ Rats taken from steamship Siberia, 14.

California—Squirrels Collected and Examined.

During the week ended August 23, 1913, ground squirrels were examined for plague infection as follows: Alameda County, 65; Contra Costa County, 219; San Francisco, 1; Berkeley, 2.

Plague-Infected Squirrels Found.

Of the squirrels examined during the week ended August 23, 1913, 5 from Contra Costa County were found to be plague-infected.

PNEUMONIA.**Cases and Deaths Reported by Cities for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913.**

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Binghamton, N. Y.....	1.....		Mount Vernon, N. Y.....	1.....	
Braddock, Pa.....	2.....		Newport, Ky.....	1.....	1
Cleveland, Ohio.....	5.....	8	Sacramento, Cal.....	1.....	2
Dunkirk, N. Y.....	1.....		San Diego, Cal.....	1.....	1
Galesburg, Ill.....	1.....	1	San Francisco, Cal.....	1.....	1
Los Angeles, Cal.....	4.....	2	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.....	1.....	2

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RABIES.

California—Oakland—Rabies in Animals.

Surg. Long, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph that during the week ended September 6, 1913, 5 cases of canine rabies had been notified in Oakland, Cal.

TETANUS.

Cases and Deaths Reported by Cities for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Baltimore, Md.....	2		New Orleans, La.....		2
Boston, Mass.....	1	1	Reading, Pa.....	1	1
Chicago, Ill.....		1	Providence, R. I.....		1

TYPHUS FEVER.

Washington—Loomis.

The State Board of Health of Washington reported that during the month of June, 1913, 1 fatal case of typhus fever had been notified in Loomis, Okanogan County, Wash.

SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, DIPHTHERIA, AND TUBERCULOSIS.

Texas Report for July, 1913.

The State Board of Health of Texas reported that during the month of July, 1913, 61 cases of scarlet fever and 22 cases of diphtheria had been notified in Texas.

Cases and Deaths Reported by Cities for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913.

Cities.	Population, United States census, 1910.	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tuber- culosis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Over 500,000 inhabitants:										
Baltimore, Md.	558,485	186	12	2	2	1	12	15	15	13
Boston, Mass.	670,585	24	2	10	12	6	63	132	15	70
Chicago, Ill.	2,185,283	663	77	13	15	54	3	28	22	20
Cleveland, Ohio	580,663	22	2	5	14	3	10	10	10	10
St. Louis, Mo.	687,029	232	24	2	4	7	34	34	34	20
From 300,000 to 500,000 inhabitants:										
Buffalo, N. Y.	423,715	177	5	3	2	1	14	10	10	10
Cincinnati, Ohio	364,463	99	12	1	3	3	28	14	14	14
Los Angeles, Cal.	319,198	107	11	1	6	5	49	10	17	17
Milwaukee, Wis.	373,857	100	23	2	1	3	1	13	10	10
Newark, N. J.	347,469	92	16	9	5	5	21	13	13	13
New Orleans, La.	339,075	128	15	1	1	1	43	12	12	12
San Francisco, Cal.	416,912	138	3	3	9	9	15	16	16	16
Washington, D. C.	331,069	85	2	1	4	4	25	10	10	10
From 200,000 to 300,000 inhabitants:										
Jersey City, N. J.	267,779	62	1	1	4	1	6	5	5	5
Providence, R. I.	224,326	64	17	1	1	1	10	10	10	10

SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, DIPHTHERIA, AND TUBERCULOSIS—Contd.

Cases and Deaths Reported by Cities for Week Ended Aug. 23, 1913—Continued.

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